GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT
LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:2416
ANSWERED ON:07.08.2001
NATIONAL COMMISSION FOR WOMEN ACT, 1990
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Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) whether as per the Section 14 of the National Commission for Women Act 1990, it is required to place the Annual Report, Action Report and Audit Report each year before Parliament;

(b) whether the commission has not laid the said reports during the last three years;

(c) if so, the reasons therefor;

(d) the action taken/proposed to be taken in this regard; and

(e) the time by which these reports are likely to be tabled?

Answer

MINISTER OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT, MINISTER OF SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY AND MINISTER OF DEVELOPMENT (DR. MURLI MANOHAR JOSHI)

(a) Yes, Sir.

(b),(c),(d)&(e) A Statement is annexed.

STATEMENT IN RESPECT OF PART (b),(c),(d)&(e) LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 2416 FOR 7.8.2001 REGAR NATIONAL COMMISSION FOR WOMEN ACT, 1990

(b), (c), (d) & (e): The Annual Reports of the National Commission for Women (NCW) for the years 1994-95, 1995-96 and 1996-97 have been laid before Parliament during the last three years on the dates indicated below:

S.No	Year of Annual Report	Date on which laid in Lok Sabha	Date on which laid in Rajya Sabha
1	1994-95	14-12-98	18-12-98
2	1995-96	23-12-99	12-5-2000
3	1996-97	19-12-2000	22-12-2000

The Annual Reports for the years 1997-98, 1998-99, 1999-2000 and 2000-2001 are yet to be placed before the Parliament. The Annual Reports together with the Audit Reports of the NCW for the years 1997-98 and 1998-1999 have been received by the Government from the Commission. The Annual Report (without the audit report) for the year 1999-2000 has also been received. The recommendations contained in these Annual Reports are on subjects dealt with by various Ministries and Departments of the Government of India. Therefore, the recommendations have been circulated to all concerned Ministries/Departments for obtaining the Action Taken Report (ATR) from them.